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Of Special Interest This Week

25X1 + At the request of Dave Laux, Director of Asian Affairs for the NSC, FBIS prepared a package of materials for White House use during the visit of PRC President Li Xiannian. The package consisted of brief analyses of Chinese public positions on key current issues in Sino-U.S. relations, backed up by sample texts of Chinese statements. [redacted]

25X1 + On behalf of the Department of State, FBIS has agreed to put together a compendium of Soviet leadership and authoritative statements since the beginning of the Reagan Administration reflecting the Soviet position on a nuclear testing moratorium. The compilation will be used for renewed initiatives which may emerge in connection with the anniversary of the Hiroshima/Nagasaki bombings. [redacted]

25X1 + FBIS Swaziland Bureau filed the first Western media reports on the imposition of a state of emergency in South Africa, preceding U.S. media reporting by several hours. The bureau also remained open to monitor Prime Minister Botha's speech on the subject. [redacted]

25X1 + FBIS has translated a collection of cartoons from the Soviet press poking fun at the USSR's economic and social problems. The cartoons will be included in briefing material for President Reagan in preparation for his meeting with Soviet leader Gorbachev. [redacted]

25X1 + A Xerox Star system installed this week in FBIS provides the capability to easily print materials in foreign languages. One of its first official uses has been to print an Agency recruitment flyer in Chinese and Japanese for the Office of Personnel. [redacted]

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